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SUBJECT: PUERTO RICO

1. IN COURSE OF CONVERSATION ON NAM AND OTHER MATTERS, DCM
INFORMED BY LIM BIEAN KIE, CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL AND
STRATEGIC STUDIES, THAT INDONESIA ENTIRELY "ON YOUR SIDE"
WITH RESPECT TO PUERTO RICO ISSUE IF RAISED IN NAM OR UNGA.
(COMMENT: WHILE BIAN KIE NOT GOI SPOKESMAN, HE IS USUALLY
WELL INFORMED AND OF COURSE CSIS CONTRIBUTES TO GOI POLICY
DECISIONS).

2. LIM BIAN KIE STATED THAT GOI POSITION REGARDING GUAM
UNDECIDED SINCE THEY ARE NOT GONVINCED THAT GUAM ISSUE SHOULD
NOT REPEAT NOT BE RAISED. HE ASKED FOR ELABORATION ON US
POSITION AND WHY PUERTO RICAN POSITION NOT DIFFERENT FROM GUAM.
IN RESPONSE, WE ARE GIVING HIM BRIEF RESUME EXPLAINING
STATUS OF GUAM AND FACT THAT WE ARE TRANSMITTING ANNUAL
REPORTS TO THE UN IN ACCORDANCE WITH OBLIGATIONS UNDER
ARTICLE 73E OF THE CHARTER. NEVERTHELESS, WE ARE POINTING
OUR TO HIM THAT THE US CONSIDERS THAT IT HAS A SOVEREIGN
RIGHT TO MAINTAIN BASES ON ITS OWN TERRITORY AND THAT IT
IS ESPECIALLY ON THIS POINT THAT WE REJECT INTERFERENCE
BY THE COMMITTEE OF 24 AND OTHER BODIES.

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